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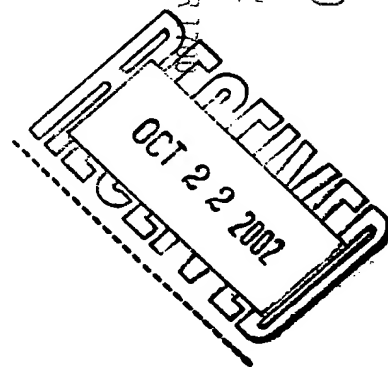
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Pursuant to Rule 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.51(b), 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, this Information Disclosure Statement is submitted in the above-identified patent application. A listing of documents to be published on the face of any patent granted from this application is submitted herewith on Form PTO-1449. Any other documents or information submitted for consideration by the Examiner are listed in this paper. A copy of each U.S. and foreign patent, or each publication or portion thereof listed or herein identified is submitted herewith.

CONCISE STATEMENT OF RELEVANCY

(NON-ENGLISH LANGUAGE DOCUMENTS ONLY)

DE 197 33 662 C1 discloses a method for the personalization of GSM chipcards. Prior to initial use of the card, only data is stored in the card which is necessary for the first contact with the computer center of the network operator. After initial use of the card, final data is transmitted to the chipcard and stored.

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Translations of the non-English documents are not available to Applicants' Attorney.

CERTIFICATION

This Information Disclosure Statement is submitted prior to the mailing date of the first Office Action on the merits received by Applicant in the above-identified application, and therefore no fee is necessary.

The Examiner is requested to acknowledge consideration of the information provided in this paper in accordance with prescribed procedures.

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